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This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of the claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A patch preparation comprising a support and an adhesive base, the adhesive base containing 8 to 50 mass % relative to total amount of the adhesive base of a rubber-system macromolecule having a double bond at least in a principal chain thereof and 0.1 to 10 mass % relative to entire amount of the preparation of a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory analgesic drug ~~and a combination of a hydrogenated rosin ester and a terpene resin as a tackifier for 10 to 20 mass % in total relative to total amount of the adhesive base~~, and the adhesive base further containing 0.5 to 20 mass % relative to entire amount of the preparation of ~~a UVA blocker and/or a UVB blocker~~ 4-tert-butyl-4'-methoxydibenzoylmethane as a stabilizer for the rubber-system macromolecule.

Claim 2 (previously presented): The patch preparation according to claim 1, wherein the rubber-system macromolecule having a double bond at least in a principal chain thereof is selected from the group consisting of a styrene-isoprene-styrene block copolymer, a styrene-butadiene-styrene block copolymer, a styrene-butadiene copolymer, polyisoprene, and polybutadiene.

Claim 3 (previously presented): The patch preparation according to claim 1, wherein the nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory analgesic drug is selected from the group

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consisting of ketoprofen, tiaprofenic acid, suprofen, tolmetin, carprofen, benoxaprofen, piroxicam, meloxicam, benzydamine, naproxen, felbinac, diclofenac, ibuprofen, diflunisal, azapropazone, etodolac, valdecoxib, celecoxib, rofecoxib, and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

Claims 4-6 (canceled)

Claim 7 (previously presented): The patch preparation according to claim 1, wherein it contains 2 to 10 mass % relative to entire amount of the preparation of the UVA blocker and/or the UVB blocker in the adhesive base.

Claims 8-10 (canceled)

Claim 11 (previously presented): The patch preparation according to claim 1, wherein it contains zinc oxide or titanium dioxide.

Claim 12 (new): The patch according to claim 1, wherein a tackifier added to the adhesive base is one or more types selected from a rosin ester, a hydrogenated rosin ester, a maleic acid-modified rosin ester, a terpene resin, and a petroleum resin.

Claim 13 (new): The patch according to claim 12, wherein the tackifier added to the adhesive base is a

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combination of a hydrogenated rosin ester and a terpene resin.

Claim 14 (new): The patch according to claim 12, wherein the amount of tackifier added is 10 to 20 mass % relative to the total amount of the adhesive base.

Claim 15 (new): The patch according to claim 3 wherein the nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory analgesic drug is ketoprofen.